Quarterly Issues/Program List for KCTS 9 Public Television For the period of July – September 2011 (The following are selected examples of representative issues and programs)

1. Government and Economics

Questioning The Constitution (Documentary, 1 hour)

For more than 200 years, the United States Constitution a document dictating a representative government by the people and for the people has served as the foundation for the country and its citizens. QUESTIONING THE CONSTITUTION reveals the development and structure of the Constitution, its various interpretations and the debate surrounding its possible reformation. Interviews with prominent politicians, constitutional scholars, and leaders from the NAACP and ACLU, combine with archival materials to create an understanding of the Constitution's past, present and future. The documentary explores the Electoral College, the lack of a "noconfidence" clause, the "tyranny" of the minority states in the Senate, the difficulty in amending the Constitution, post-9/11 legislation and the expansion and potential misuse of Executive power. The program also addresses some of the compromises and problematic aspects of the Constitution, including its stance on equal opportunity for women and civil rights for racial and ethnic minorities.

Airdate: Mon. 7/4 @ 12:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Nightly Business Report (News 1/2 hour)

"Nightly Business Report" combines fast-breaking business and economic news, extensive financial market coverage, in-depth analysis, corporate profiles, features and commentaries by noted economists and business experts. Veteran business journalists Paul Kangas, from NBR's production headquarters in Miami, and Susie Gharib, from the heart of the financial district -- the New York Stock Exchange -- co-anchor.

Airdates: Nightly Monday – Friday @ 5:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE (total 33 hours)

Capitol Fourth (Concert, 90 min.)

A CAPITOL FOURTH, featuring musical performances by some of the country's best known and award-winning musicians in performance with the National Symphony Orchestra, is broadcast live from the West Lawn of the United States Capitol before a concert audience of hundreds of thousands, millions more at home, on National Public Radio and around the world to our troops on the American Forces Network. Bringing viewers the most spectacular fireworks display anywhere in the nation, the annual broadcast of A CAPITOL FOURTH captures the pyrotechnics from every vantage point with 20 television cameras stationed around the city --including the U.S. Capitol, the White House, the Washington Monument and across the Potomac River. In tribute to America's birthday, the show is capped off with Tchaikovsky's "1812 Overture," complete with live cannon fire provided by the United States Army Presidential Salute Battery.

Airdate: Mon. 7/4 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Frontline: Wikisecrets (Documentary, 1 hour)

It's the biggest intelligence breach in U.S. history --the leaking of more than half-a-million classified documents on the Wikileaks website in the Spring of 2010. Behind it all, stand two very different men: Julian Assange, the Internet activist and hacker who published the documents, and an Army intelligence analyst named Bradley E. Manning, who's currently charged with handing them over. Private Manning allegedly leaked the secret cables -- along

with a controversial video --in the hope of inciting "worldwide discussion, debates and reforms." Assange's stated mission has been to force the U.S. and other governments into maximum transparency through his whistle-blowing website. Through in-depth interviews with Manning's father, Assange and others close to the case, veteran FRONTLINE correspondent Martin Smith tells the full story behind the leaks. He also reports on the U.S. government's struggle to protect national security information in a post 9/11 world.

Airdate: Tues. 7/4 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Abraham and Mary Lincoln, A House Divided: American Experience (Documentary total 6 hours)

Elected president only to see the nation fracture in two, Abraham Lincoln led a confused and frightened people through the most terrible war in their history. At the same time, his own household mirrored the fissures that rent the nation: the great emancipator was married to the daughter of a slave owner from Kentucky. Mary Todd Lincoln was an aristocratic southerner who met Lincoln when he was still a backwoods politician lacking in experience and sophistication. Although she remained fiercely loyal to her husband and the Union cause, two of her brothers fought for the South. Their marriage was long and turbulent, and knew many trials, including the loss of two children. This series weaves together the lives of the two Lincolns drawing us into their long-vanished world.

Airdate: Mon. 7/11, 7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8, & 8/15 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

PBS Newshour (News, 9 min.)

'Gang of 6' Plan Could Offer GOP Path to Debt Deal: President Obama praised the work of the bipartisan "Gang of Six," who released the framework of a deal Tuesday that would cut roughly \$4 trillion from the deficit over the next decade. Judy Woodruff and Political Editor David Chalian discuss the state of play in the ongoing debt-ceiling negotiations.

Airdate: Tues. 7/19 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Frontline: Kill/Capture (Documentary, 1 hour)

Behind the strike that killed Osama bin Laden last week was one of the U.S. military's best-kept secrets: a covert campaign that officials have credited with taking out thousands of Taliban and Al Qaeda fighters. A six-month investigation by FRONTLINE has gone inside the military's "kill/capture" operations to discover new evidence of the program's impact -- and its costs. Under the command of Gen. David Petraeus, U.S. forces are carrying out an unprecedented number OF targeted raids using highly classified intelligence, aerial drones and Special Operations Forces. But is the tactic working? In interviews with Gen. Petraeus, his senior commanders and in rare footage with Taliban leaders and fighters, FRONTLINE producers Dan Edge ("The Wounded Platoon") and Stephen Grey ("Extraordinary Rendition") explore the logic behind the kill/capture policy and its consequences. Traveling into the lawless border regions of Afghanistan and Pakistan, FRONTLINE tells the story from the perspective of Afghan civilians, U.S. troops and the Taliban militants they are pursuing. After almost 10 years of fighting, this film examines the question: Will kill/ capture help end the war in Afghanistan? Airdate: Tues. 7/19 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Charlie Rose (Interview/Review/Discussion, 9 min.)

A late-breaking update with Al Hunt of Bloomberg News, Floyd Norris of The New York Times and Francesco Guerrera of The Wall Street Journal on House speaker John Boehner's decision to walk out of budget ceiling talks with the White House.

Airdate: Mon. 7/25 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Charlie Rose (Interview/Review/Discussion, 6 min.)

President Obama's address to the American people concerning the debt ceiling crisis. Airdate: Tues. 7/26 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Frontline: The Pot Republic (Documentary, 1 hour)

FRONTLINE's primetime monthly newsmagazine returns with three new stories, leading with a timely report from the frontlines of marijuana legalization in California. The bulk of the marijuana consumed in the United States used to come across the border from Mexico, Canada and elsewhere. Now, more than half of it is believed to be home grown in California, where an enormous black market has emerged under the cover of the state's medical marijuana law. With more than a third of all states now experimenting with some form of legalization and decriminalization -- and several California counties attempting to openly regulate pot production -- FRONTLINE and The Center for Investigative Reporting team up to investigate the country's oldest, largest, and most wide-open marijuana market. Is the federal government now moving to shut it down?

Airdate: Tues. 7/26 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Charlie Rose (Interview/Review/Discussion, 20 min)

A debt talks update with Al Hunt of Bloomberg News, Gerald Seib of The Wall Street Journal, and Dan Balz of The Washington Post.

Airdate: Wed. 7/27 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Rediscovering Alexander Hamilton (Documentary 2 hours)

"Rediscovering Alexander Hamilton" focuses on Hamilton's character --his strengths and weaknesses -- and what made him a great man. The film examines the six primary themes of Hamilton's life -- origins, war, law, finance, politics and death. This is not "the definitive chronology" of Hamilton, but a look at particular traits in his character, how they were shaped into being, and how they played out within the new nation that was being created around him. To tell that story, traditional documentary techniques are combined with Richard Brookhiser's exploration of Hamilton's legacy and life in contemporary America. In the 1780's and 90's, Hamilton pushed for a series of reforms that made the United States a legally and financially adult nation. We live in the still unfolding two-century-long boom that he began. Hamilton's life was colorful and dramatic. Beginning life as an illegitimate immigrant from the West Indies, Hamilton was a self-made man. His life ended in the most famous duel in American history. *Airdate: Mon. 8/6 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

POV The Most Dangerous Man in America: Daniel Ellsberg and the Pentagon Papers (Documentary, 2 hours)

Why would a dedicated Cold War strategist throw away his career, his friends and risk life in prison for a chance to help end the Vietnam War? In 1971, Daniel Ellsberg, a leading military planner, concluded that America's role in the war was based on decades of lies. He leaked the Pentagon Papers, 7,000 pages of top-secret documents, to The New York Times, a daring act of conscience that led to Watergate, President Nixon's resignation and the end of the Vietnam War. "The Most Dangerous Man in America: Daniel Ellsberg and the Pentagon Papers" is a tale told by Ellsberg with a who's who of Vietnam and Watergate-era figures.

Airdate: Tues 8/6 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

RFK in the Land of Apartheid: A Ripple of Hope (Documentary, 1 hour)
RFK IN THE LAND OF APARTHEID: A RIPPLE OF HOPE tells the unknown story of Robert

Kennedy's 1966 visit to South Africa during the worst years of Apartheid. Filmmakers Larry Shore and Tami Gold use never before seen archival footage, and interviews in South Africa

and the United States. The film follows Senator Kennedy to the site of his famous "Ripple of Hope" speech at the University of Cape Town and his encounter with Afrikaans students at Stellenbosch, the pro-Apartheid university. A high point of the film is Kennedy's meeting with one of the unknown giants of African history -- the banned President of the African National Congress, and Nobel Peace Prize winner, Chief Albert Lutuli - living under house arrest in a remote rural area. With an original sound track by American musician Jason Moran and voices from the University of Cape Town Africa Choir, the film evokes the connections between the American Civil Rights Movement and the Anti-Apartheid Movement in South Africa. Airdate: Mon. 8/22 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Frontline: Law & Disorder (Documentary, 1 hour)

Behind the enduring images of heroic rescues undertaken by the New Orleans Police Department in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina, there is another story of law enforcement in crisis, even out of control. "Law & Disorder," a year-long, ongoing collaboration among FRONTLINE, ProPublica and the New Orleans Times-Picayune, investigates charges that NOPD officers inappropriately used lethal force against New Orleans citizens and then tried to cover up their actions. Airing days before the fifth anniversary of one of the deadliest hurricanes in U.S. history and drawing from reports published in a real-time online investigation, FRONTLINE takes a fresh look at how the NOPD performed when the rules of civilized society collapsed.

Airdate: Tues. 8/16 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna (Interview/Review/Discussion, 30 min.) Seattle voters say yes to the deep bore tunnel to replace the Alaskan Way Viaduct. Airdate: Fri. 8/19 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Nixon's The One: The '68 Election (Documentary, 1 hour)

Narrated by Dick Cavett, Nixon's The One: The '68 Election chronicles not only Richard Nixon's stunning victory in the 1968 presidential race, but the ways in which that historic election gave rise to Red State-Blue State America. Combining archival footage and original interviews with, among others, activist Tom Hayden, former Nixon advisor Kevin Phillips, Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist and historian David Maraniss, and bestselling author Rick Perlstein, Nixon's the One is anything but a nostalgic trip through the "flower power" decade. Rather, it's a sobering, wry look at how the Sixties divided us-and how Nixon stepped into the breach to claim the biggest prize of all

Airdate: Mon.8/29 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Frontline: Top Secret America (Documentary, 1 hour)

In the years after September 11, FRONTLINE produced more than 45 hours of award-winning films documenting the 9/11 attacks and America's response to them. Now, on the tenth anniversary of September 11, the FRONTLINE team that produced "Bush's War," "The Torture Question" and "Cheney's Law" teams up with Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist Dana Priest to investigate the dramatic changes that have reshaped America in the last decade. Over one hour, the film examines the history of the dark side of America's "war on terror." From the creation of black site prisons abroad and super-secret facilities here in America, to targeted killings and covert wars waged by special forces, to a multibillion-dollar terrorism industrial complex, FRONTLINE and Dana Priest ask how a decade of fighting terrorism has reshaped the country and whether it has made us any safer.

Airdate: Tues. 9/6 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

POV: Better This World (Documentary, 90 min.)

The story of Bradley Crowder and David McKay, who were accused of intending to firebomb the 2008 Republican National Convention, is a dramatic tale of idealism, loyalty, crime and betrayal. "Better This World" follows the radicalization of these boyhood friends from Midland, Texas, under the tutelage of revolutionary activist Brandon Darby. The results: eight homemade bombs, multiple domestic terrorism charges and a high-stakes entrapment defense hinging on the actions of a controversial FBI informant. This film goes to the heart of the war on terror and its impact on civil liberties and political dissent in post-9/11 America.

Airdate: Tues. 9/6 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

PBS Newshour (Speech, Discussion, 1 hour)
President Obama's live speech on jobs and the economy.
Airdate: Thurs. 9/8 @ 4:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

2. Health

Bad Blood: A Cautionary Tale (Documentary, 1 hour)

Through the eyes of survivors and family members, Bad Blood chronicles how a "miracle" treatment for hemophilia became an agent of death for 10,000 Americans. Faced with evidence that pharmaceutical companies and government regulators knew the product was contaminated with HIV and hepatitis from the 1960s through the early 1990s, they launched a powerful and inspiring fight to right the system that failed them and to make it safer for all.

Airdate: Tues. 7/5 @ 4:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Last Rights: Facing End of Life Choices (Documentary, 1 hour)

Last Rights: Facing End-of-Life Choices focuses on end-of-life care and asks what is the most humane way to care for patients in their final days? How does the treatment patients receive affect them and their families? What about those patients who believe it is an individual right to hasten their own death? Would their numbers be reduced if their care were markedly improved? Should death with dignity (help to die) be legally sanctioned? This documentary looks at the rare call for hastened death as well as the impact on dying individuals of accessible, appropriate, and compassionate medical care. Raising awareness of the complexity of end-of-life care and respect for individual choices, Last Rights: Facing End-of-Life Choices encourages conversations: honoring the sanctity of life while assuring ethical and moral treatment of the dying; the ability of medical technology to keep a patient alive while life is ebbing; individual rights versus society's mandate to preserve life; and the importance of family, the role of physicians, and the value of honest communications.

Airdate: Thurs. 7/7 @ 12:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna: Vacation Aversion

(Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour)

In this episode we take a look at America's vacation aversion: why we take so little time off, how much more time the rest of the world takes, what health problems you risk by skipping your vacation, and what efforts are underway to give us all a much needed break. Dr. Arnold Pallay is interviewed while on vacation at Yosemite National Park.

Airdate: Fri. 7/8 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Tackling Diabetes with Dr. Neal Barnard (Interview/Discussion/Review, 1&½ hour)
The health advocate shares his proven system to taking control of diabetes through nutrition.

Airdate: Mon. 7/11 @ 1:30 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

My Generation: Hungry For Answers (Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour)

Host Leeza Gibbons reveals creative solutions to America's hunger problems. Discover a place where free food is served with a side of dignity. Plus, a group of young gleaners learn the value of a good deed. And The Sauce Boss stirs up hope.

Airdate: Tues. 8/2 @ 1:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Frontline: Football High (Documentary, 1 hour)

High school football has never had a higher profile, with nationally televised games, corporate sponsorships and minute-by-minute coverage on sports websites. In northwest Arkansas, FRONTLINE examines one ambitious high school team working its way towards national renown. With a superstar quarterback at the helm, tiny Shiloh Christian is striving to join the ranks of the country's best high school teams -- teams whose workout schedules, practices and styles of play increasingly imitate the pros. But as high school players grow bigger, faster and stronger, there are growing concerns about the health and safety of these young players -- with rising rates of concussions, career-ending injuries, even death. In Arkansas, FRONTLINE documents a tragic story of heatstroke injuries that reveal how weak regulation has created a crucial lack of athletic trainers at most high schools. It all raises a critical question: has the amped-up culture of high school football outrun necessary protections for the boys who play the game?

Airdate: Tues. 8/2 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

POV: Steam of Life (Documentary 1 hour)

From a land of long, dark winters comes "Steam of Life," a moody, comic and moving study of Finnish men, as framed by the national obsession with the sauna. There, they come together to sweat out not only the grime of contemporary life, but also their grief, hopes, joys and memories. Beautifully and hauntingly shot, the acclaimed film provides a surprising glimpse into the lives of Finnish men and a remarkable depiction of the troubled and often reticent hearts of contemporary Western men.

Airdate: Tues. 8/2 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna: ALS Help (Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour) Engineering students in Vancouver, BC develop new inventions and technology to help make life easier for people with ALS, better known as Lou Gehrig's Disease.

Airdate: Fri. 8/5 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

POV: Food Inc. (Documentary 2 hours)

Filmmaker Robert Kenner lifts the veil on our nation's food industry, exposing the highly mechanized underbelly that has been hidden from the American consumer with the consent of our government's regulatory agencies, USDA and FDA. Our nation's food supply is now controlled by a handful of corporations that often put profit ahead of consumer health, the livelihood of the American farmer, the safety of workers and our own environment. We have bigger-breasted chickens, the perfect pork chop, herbicide-resistant soybean seeds, even tomatoes that won't go bad, but we also have new strains of E. coli -- the harmful bacteria that causes illness for an estimated 73,000 Americans annually. We are riddled with widespread obesity, particularly among children, and an epidemic level of diabetes among adults. Featuring interviews with such experts as Eric Schlosser ("Fast Food Nation"), Michael Pollan ("The Omnivore's Dilemma") along with forward thinking social entrepreneurs, this film reveals surprising -- and often shocking truths -- about what we eat, how it's produced, who we have become as a nation and where we are going from here

KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna: Food Safety (Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour) Nearly 20 years after the Jack-in-the-Box E. coli outbreak, what have we learned from one of the worst food poisoning cases in U.S. history? How safe is the food we eat?

Airdate: Fri. 8/12 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Health Secrets: What Every Woman Should Know

CBS News' Sunday Morning commentator Nancy Giles, among other guests, focuses on menopause and perimenopause, alternative choices to staying healthy, integrative medicine and age-appropriate health screenings.

Participants: Melinda Ring, M.D., June McKoy, M.D. -- Northwestern Memorial Hospital; Elena Kamel, M.D. -- Prentice Women's Hospital; Pat Wingert -- co-author, The Menopause Book; Newsweek reporter; Margery Gass, M.D. -- Executive Director, North American Menopause Society; Tracy Gaudet, M.D. -- Director, Duke Integrative Medicine at Duke University; Commentary: Nancy Giles - Commentator, CBS News Sunday Morning.

Airdate: Sun. 9/18 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Under Our Skin: A Health Care Nightmare (Documentary, 181/2 hour)

Through the eyes of survivors and family members, Bad Blood chronicles how a "miracle" treatment for hemophilia became an agent of death for 10,000 Americans. Faced with evidence that pharmaceutical companies and government regulators knew the product was contaminated with HIV and hepatitis from the 1960s through the early 1990s, they launched a powerful and inspiring fight to right the system that failed them and to make it safer for all.

Airdate: Sun. 8/21 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

All in the Same Boat: Stories of Breast Cancer Survivors (Documentary, ½ hour) ALL IN THE SAME BOAT is a half hour program about a dragon boat team whose members are all breast cancer survivors, and how that "twist" in their lives prompted them to embark on a journey "all in the same. " Save Our Sisters (SOS) is the only breast cancer survivors' dragon boat racing team in Miami and consists of an extraordinary team of women, from diverse backgrounds and ages. The inspirational story begins as the team trains for their biggest dragon boat race yet - The Breast Cancer Survivor World Cup Championship in April 2009. The stories of courage, hope and friendship will unfold as the team prepares for this challenge and their message is clear, it's not just a race to the finish line, it's a race against breast cancer. Airdate: Sun. 8/21 @ 1:30 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna: Frankenfish (Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour) The FDA might approve genetically-engineered salmon for human consumption, while researchers in Canada develop genetically-engineered pigs. Is this food safe to eat? Airdate: Fri. 8/26 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Clearing The Smoke: The Science of Cannabis (Documentary, 1 hour)

Montana PBS's new documentary, "Clearing the Smoke: The Science of Cannabis", looks beyond the controversies surrounding Medical Marijuana programs and instead, investigates the science. The hour-long program reveals how the plant's chemical compounds act on the brain and the body to potentially treat a myriad of difficult conditions and diseases. Personal stories of relief from pain, nausea and epileptic seizures frame a scientific discussion of both the therapeutic potential and the very real side effects of cannabis as a medicine. The documentary details the government restrictions and financial difficulties of doing research on the plant, but it also highlights the legitimate work being done by scientists across the nation, including one

South Carolina researcher who is uncovering its potential to treat auto-immune diseases and certain types of cancer. Interviews include Dr. Igor Grant, Director of the Center for Medicinal Cannabis Research at UC San Diego and Kansas Physician Dr. Eric Voth, longtime medical marijuana critic and Drug Policy Advisor to Presidents Reagan, Bush Senior, Clinton and Bush Junior.

Airdate: Mon. 8/29 @ 11:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

My Generation: Strike Back at Stroke (Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour) Leeza Gibbons hosts this special edition of My Generation. Stroke is one of the leading causes of death in America. Find out if you are at risk. Plus, Henry Winkler gets personal helping stroke victims.

Airdate: Tues. 8/30 @ 1:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Not As I Pictured: A Pulitzer Prize - Winning Photographer's Journey Through Lymphoma (Documentary 1 hour)

Pulitzer Prize-winning photographer John Kaplan was at the top of his world. Never before ill, he was used to documenting the life ordeals of others. But when suddenly diagnosed with a rare case of potentially deadly Lymphoma, it was a blind side. Turning the lens on himself, Kaplan's remarkable imagery takes us beyond his despair and through his powerful belief that he can, and must, beat it. Through his visual journal, with help from his family, doctors, and even Mother Teresa and a rock star, Kaplan shares the same boundless determination that helped him become a famous photojournalist. Kaplan has judged the Pulitzers, too, and says that cancer stories are the biggest cliche. But when you get cancer, you don't feel like a cliche, you just pray you can beat it. Follow Kaplan's journey as he lives it through his own lens. The dreaded news of cancer is certainly no fun, but you can make it through to the other side, back to health and the joy of every day. Today, you can beat most cancers. Kaplan's story helps show us the way. *Airdate:* Tues. 9/19 @ 10:00 pm *on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

Conversations at KCTS 9:Mechai Viravaidya (Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour) The founder and chairman of the non-profit Population Development Association, Viravaidya is known globally for his brash and quirky campaigns to promote family planning and safe sex. Airdate: Sun. 9/25 @ 6:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

3. Looking Ahead/Education/Change

Invitation to World Literature: The Tale of Genji (Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour) This portrait of court life in medieval Japan follows the life and exploits of the great Genji. Written by Murasaki Shikibu, a lady of the Japanese court, it provides an insider's view of Japanese court life, the official and behind the screen. Art, clothing, music from the time of the novel illustrate the observations of authors Jane Smiley and Chiori Miyagawa, among others. Airdate: Tues. 7/4 @ 1:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

National Geographic Bee 2011 National Geographic Bee (Competition 1 hour) State Geographic Bee Winners will compete for the National Bee Title and a \$25,000 Scholarship. But all have their eyes on one goal - to take top honors at the 23rd annual National Geographic Bee, which will be held in Washington, D.C., on May 24thand 25th, 2011. Fifty-four fourth- to eighth-graders will be vying for the Bee crown and the top prize of a \$25,000 college scholarship and lifetime membership in the National Geographic Society. Second and third prizes are college scholarships of \$15,000 and \$10,000. Additionally, the national winner will travel (along with one parent or guardian), all expenses paid, to the Galapagos Islands. The

winner will experience geography firsthand through up-close encounters with the wildlife and landscape of the Galapagos. Travel for the "Galapagos Adventure" is provided by Lindblad Expeditions and the National Geographic Society. The finalists, to be named in April 2011, will be the winners of their state-level geographic bees, and will triumph over a field of nearly 5 million students to earn a place in the national championships. They represent the 50 states, District of Columbia, Atlantic Territories, Pacific Territories and Department of Defense Dependents Schools.

Airdate: Tues. 7/5 @ 12:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

POV: Biblioburro, The Donkey Library (Documentary 1 hour)

"Biblioburro" is the story of a librarian -- and a library -- like no other. A decade ago, Colombian teacher Luis Soriano was inspired to spend his weekends bringing a modest collection of precious books, via two hard-working donkeys, to the children of a poor and violence-ridden province. As Soriano braves armed bands, drug traffickers, snakes and heat, his library on hooves carries an inspirational message about education and a better future for Colombia. *Airdate: Sun. 7/19 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE*

Speaking in Tongues (Documentary, 1 hour)

In a country where many states declare English as the official language, this documentary turns the issue on its head and explores how bilingualism can be a national resource. Following four students involved in an educational experiment designed to make them bilingual and bi-literate, the film questions rote debates about immigration, assimilation, globalization and what it means to be American in the 21st century.

Airdate: Sun. 7/19 @ 11:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Invitation to World Literature: Journey to the West

(Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour)

The powerful and mischievous Stone Monkey King brings chaos to heaven and earth. Freed from a mountain prison in order to guard a Chinese monk on his journey to retrieve the Buddhist scriptures from India, Monkey seeks his own spiritual transformation. Modern performance, contemporary art, and Buddhist philosophers provide a rich context to the ancient tale. Featured cast members include playwright David Henry Huang, storyteller Dianne Wolkstein, and translator Professor Anthony Yu.

Airdate: Tues. 7/25 @ 1:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna: Head of the Class

(Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour)

Enrique Cerna talks to incoming University of Washington President Michael Young about the challenges he's facing, including major funding cuts and tuition hikes. In this interview, we discuss Young's ambitious plans to keep UW both affordable and accessible, and to chart a new model for higher education.

Airdate: Fri. 7/29 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Invitation to World Literature: Things Fall Apart (Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour) In this foundational modern African novel, Chinua Achebe's story follows the lives of people trying to understand which belief systems deserve their loyalty. The protagonist, Okonkwo is a tribal leader who battles neighboring villages, the English, and his own demons in early colonial Nigeria. The perspectives of readers from around the world reveal the novel's universal themes. Cast members include playwright and professor Tess Onwueme and theater director Chuck Mike.

Airdate: Tues. 8/1 @ 1:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Invitation to World Literature: One Hundred Years of Solitude

(Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour)

Gabriel Garcia Marquez's multigenerational saga of the Buendia family in the isolated town of Macondo inaugurated the boom in Latin American literature in the 1970s and marked the beginning of magical realism. Writer Sandra Cisneros and scholar of Latin American literature, Ilan Stavans lend their thoughts and voices to the discussion of this epic novel.

Airdate: Tues. 8/15 @ 1:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Invitation to World Literature: The God of Small Things

(Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour)

Fraternal twins Rahel and Estha struggle to reclaim their lives after their childhood is destroyed by tragic circumstances. As past and present merge in this narrative of Indian society and politics, the many layers of the caste system are mirrored in the poetic and inventive language of the author. Featured speakers include Simon Gikandi of Princeton University, author Evelyn Ch'ien.

Airdate: Tues. 8/22 @ 1:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Invitation to World Literature: The Thousand and One Nights

(Interview/Discussion/Review, ½ hour)

Shahrazad must hold the interest of her despotic husband the sultan with nightly tales, lest she lose her life in the morning. This wellspring of storytelling, circulating from medieval Persia to Egypt to Iraq, like its wily raconteur lives on in many modern adaptations. Art, performance, and film images are employed to show the collection's broad span of influence. Featured speakers include Marin Alsop, musical director of the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra and Aly Jetha and Shabnam Rezai, co-producers of the 1001 Nights animated series.

Airdate: Tues. 8/29 @ 1:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Tavis Smiley Reports: Too Important to Fail (Interview/Discussion/Review, 1 hour) This program looks at the status of black teenage boys and examines what it will take to make certain these at-risk males are not dismissed as throw-away kids. The program focuses on the lives of black teenagers who are achieving against enormous odds. Tavis Smiley profiles schools that are tackling the crippling drop-out rate and are turning things around. The program captures how educators are making a difference for these boys -- what teaching techniques work and how community outreach and mentorship can compensate for the lack of other personal and social resources.

Airdate: Tues. 9/13 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

POV: The Learning (Documentary 90 min.)

One hundred years ago, American teachers established the English-speaking public school system of the Philippines. Now, in a striking turnabout, American schools are recruiting Filipino teachers."The Learning" is the story of four Filipino women who reluctantly leave their families and schools to teach in Baltimore. With their increased salaries, they hope to transform their families' lives back in their impoverished country. But the women also bring idealistic visions of the teacher's craft and of life in America, which soon collide with Baltimore's tough realities. Airdate: Tues. 9/20 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9 & KYVE

Children's Programming:

*July - August are in blue italics

Monday – Friday

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6:00 am	Word World (Between the Lions)
6:30 am	Clifford the Big Red Dog (Barney & Friends)
7:00 am	Sesame Street
7:30 am	
8:00 am	Curious George
8:30 am	Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That!
9:00 am	Super Why!
9:30 am	Dinosaur Train
10:00am	Sid the Science Kid
10:30 am	Wild Kratts (Word World)
11:00 am	Arthur (Clifford the Big Red Dog)
11:30 am -	Adult Programming/Pledge
3:00 pm	
3:00 pm	Curious George (Martha Speaks)
3:30 pm	Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That!
4:00pm	Wild Kratts
4:30 pm	WordGirl-(Electric Company M/W/F)

Saturday

6:00 am	Sesame Street
6:30 am	
7:00 am	Curious George
7:30 am	Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That!
8:00 am	Super Why!
8:30 am	Dinosaur Train
9:00 am	Sid the Science Kid
9:30 am	Thomas & Friends
10:00 am	Bob the Builder
10:30 am	Angelina Ballerina: The Next Steps
11:00 am	Adult Programming/Pledge

Sunday

6:00 am	Sesame Street
6:30 am	
7:00 am	Curious George
7:30 am	Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About That!
8:00 am	Super Why!
8:30 am	Dinosaur Train
9:00 am	Sid the Science Kid
9:30 am	Maya & Miguel
10:00 am	Martha Speaks (Arthur)
10:30 am	Electric Company (Biz Kid\$)